

Comments

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Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation? No, I'm submitting as an individual

Are you willing to tell us more about yourself? No

Do you think we've prioritised the right issues and opportunities? Yes

Which of the proposed options would you like to see us progress with? Option 1: statutory work, prior commitments and accelerating key initiatives

It is important that we hear what you would like to keep in the plan, what you think should be removed, and anything that you think we have missed?

ECan has prioritised the right issues.

Do you generally support the activities proposed in the following portfolios:

Water and Land	Yes
Biodiversity and Biosecurity	Yes
Climate Change and Community Resilience	Yes
Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development	Yes
Regional and Strategic Leadership	Yes

Do you have any further comments on the activities proposed in specific portfolio/s (please select all those you wish to comment on):

- . Water and Land
- . Biodiversity and Biosecurity
- . Climate Change and Community Resilience
- . Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development
- . Regional and Strategic Leadership

Water and Land portfolio comments:

ECan needs to do more on monitoring and enforcement. The permissible level for nitrate levels must be lowered to the safe level of 0.87mg/l in accordance with the Danish study. ECan needs to take a stronger stance to ensure the necessary legislation changes by central government.

Biodiversity and Biosecurity portfolio comments:

I would like to see more funding for increasing biodiversity.

Climate Change and Community Resilience portfolio comments:

I support more funding for climate education. Education must have an emphasis on collective action and systemic change. I would like ECan to trial a Te Tiriti compliant citizens' assembly to help address our climate response.

Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development portfolio comments:

Public transport and cycling needs to be prioritised over car infrastructure. Public transport and cycling needs to be drastically improved - more frequent services, more coverage, lower fares, increase the youth discount age, include a social marketing campaign aimed at behavior change, more funding for developing mass rapid transport

Is the proposed increase in rates affordable for your household? Option 1 is affordable

Any further comments on affordability for your household?

I want to pay more now so that my children aren't left with a greater cost later.

Is the proposed increase in rates affordable as a whole for the Canterbury community? Yes

Do you support the changes we're proposing to how we apply Uniform Annual General Charges? No

Any further comments on Uniform Annual General Charges?

Rates should be progressively targeted so that wealthier households pay more and poorer households pay less (because of this I said NO I don't support how the changes to the Uniform Annual General Charges are being applied. The UAGC and UAC rates should be zero - i.e they should be removed.

Would you support the use of borrowing for operating expenditure to offset some of the first year rates? No

Do you support the rationale and proposed changes in the draft Fees and Charges Policy? Don't know

Where do you live in Canterbury? Select your district below:

Christchurch city including Banks Peninsula

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Kaikoura

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Hurunui

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Waimakariri

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Christchurch

On-demand public transport services
Using aquifer recharge to manage freshwater quality

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Selwyn

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Ashburton

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Mackenzie

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Timaru

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Waimate

Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Waitaki

Do you wish to speak to your submission?

Yes

We may use your phone number to contact you to arrange attendance at a hearing. This information will be kept private.

Phone number

Would you like to be kept up-to-date with the outcome of this consultation?

Yes

How did you find out about giving feedback?

Your information is held and administered by Environment Canterbury in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020 and Environment Canterbury's Privacy Policy.

**There is personal information/contact details in
my submission I do not want disclosed:** No